

LESSON

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RETEACHING WORKSHEET

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Sentence Combining: Clauses

Review You can combine sentences by converting one sentence to a subordinate clause and inserting it into the other sentence. To show the relationship between two ideas, introduce the clause with a **subordinating conjunction**, such as *when*, *because*, or *although*. To replace a noun or pronoun, use a **relative pronoun**. Use *who* for a person. Use *which* or *that* for a place or thing.

Directions: Combine each pair of sentences. Use a subordinate clause that begins with the word shown in parentheses. **Write** the new sentence.

1. Isle Royale is an island. It lies in the northwest section of Lake Superior. (*that*)

2. The state of Michigan was laid out. Isle Royale became part of it. (*when*)

3. This island first rose to fame thousands of years ago. Indians mined its copper deposits. (*when*)

4. Backpackers visit Isle Royale. They appreciate the beauty of nature. (*who*)

5. Look along the island's spine. You will see rock ridges rising over 100 feet. (*if*)

6. Moose and wolves inhabit the pine forests. These animals are difficult to see. (*although*)

7. Isle Royale is unspoiled. Nature has raised barriers around it. (*because*)

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8. We spoke to the park rangers. We learned that the island became Isle Royale National Park in 1931. (*when*)

9. You take a seaplane. You can get to the island quickly from the mainland. (*if*)

10. Ferryboats carry people. The people are willing to spend a long time traveling. (*who*)
